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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 02481.1759

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Stefan PEUKERT et al.) Group Art Unit: 1624
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Application No.: 10/002,326) Examiner: S. Patel
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Filed: December 5, 2001)
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For: ORTHO, ORTHO-SUBSTITUTED)
NITROGEN-CONTAINING BISARYL)
COMPOUNDS, PROCESSES FOR THEIR)
PREPARATION, THEIR USE AS)
MEDICAMENTS, AND PHARMACEUTICAL)
PREPARATIONS COMPRISING THEM)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of August 22, 2003, and the Notice of Appeal filed February 20, 2004. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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